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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

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Re: Application of Hirokazu TAKEMIYA entitled
"VIBRATION-PROOF CONSTRUCTION METHOD"
Assignees: HIROKAZU TAKEMIYA, GANSUI CORPORATION
and BRIDGESTONE CORPORATION
Our Reference: Q78266

Sir:

Attached hereto for filing is the application identified above comprising twenty-six (26) sheets of the specification, including twelve (12) claims and an Abstract, eight (8) sheets of drawings illustrating Figs. 1-7 8A, 8B, 9A, 9B 10A, 10B, 11-13, 14A, 14B, 14C, 14D, 14E, 15 and 16, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment.

After entry of the concurrently filed Preliminary Amendment, the Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>12</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>0</u>
Independent claims	<u>1</u>	-	3	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>0</u>
Base Fee									\$770.00

TOTAL FILING FEE DUE

\$770.00



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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all additional required fees (except the Issue Fee and/or the Publication Fee) to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayment to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is also attached.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 is claimed from:

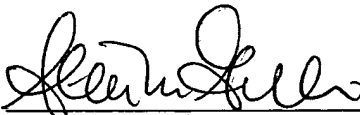
<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	321639/2002	November 5, 2002

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

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